

## REMARKS

In the Notice, the Patent Office indicates that our Amendments to the claims previously filed on September 4, 2007 did not provide the proper status identifier. In response, Applicants are resubmitting the Amendments to the claims with the proper status identifier as requested by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Therefore, Applicants believe they have been responsive to the Notice, and thus, respectfully request that an examination of this case on the merits proceed in due course.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account 02-1818 for any fees which are due and owing.

Respectfully submitted,

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